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What is claimed is:

- 1 1. An organic electro-luminescence (EL) element
- 2 comprising:
- 3 a glass substrate having a luminescent device on an inner
- 4 surface;
- 5 a drying layer formed on a rim of the inner surface of the
- 6 glass substrate;
- 7 a sealing layer formed on the rim of the inner surface of
- 8 the glass substrate and surrounding the drying layer; and
- 9 a sealing case bonded to the rim of the glass substrate
- 10 to form an airtight space.
- 1 2. The organic EL element according to claim 1, wherein
- 2 the drying layer comprises an adhesion agent and a composite
- 3 material with absorption of moisture, oxygen and impurities.
- 1 3. The organic EL element according to claim 2, wherein
- 2 the adhesion agent is UV-curing resin.
- 1 4. The organic EL element according to claim 2, wherein
- 2 the composite material is selected from one of the group
- 3 consisting of inorganic absorption material and organic
- 4 absorption material.
- 1 5. The organic EL element according to claim 2, wherein
- 2 the composite material comprises silicon, Al_2O_3 , CaO and SiO_2 .
- 1 6. The organic EL element according to claim 1, wherein
- 2 the sealing case comprises:

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- 3 a trench on the bottom of the inner wall and in position
- 4 to the luminescent device;
- 5 a hydrophobic layer in the bottom of the trench;
- 6 an adhesion layer formed on the rim of the opening of the
- 7 trench; and

- 8 a semi-permeable film with moisture permeability without
- 9 water permeability covering the opening of the trench and
- 10 boned by the adhesion layer.
- 7. The organic EL element according to claim 6, wherein
- 2 the adhesion layer comprises an adhesion agent and a composite
- 3 material with absorption of moisture, oxygen and impurities.
- 1 8. The organic EL element according to claim 7, wherein
- 2 the adhesion agent is UV-curing resin.
- 1 9. The organic EL element according to claim 7, wherein
- 2 the composite material is selected from one of the group
- 3 consisting of inorganic absorption material and organic
- 4 absorption material.
- 1 10. The organic EL element according to claim 7, wherein
- 2 the composite material comprises silicon, Al₂O₃, CaO and SiO₂.
- 1 11. The organic EL element according to claim 1, wherein
- 2 the luminescent device is a lamination body formed by at least
- 3 a cathode layer, an organic luminescent material layer and
- 4 an anode layer.

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